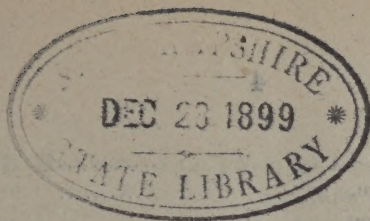


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TREASURER'S REPORT.

Payments by the Town Treasurer, from March 1, 1881,
to March 1, 1882.

Paid George Chadwick, services as selectman	\$47 15
Joseph F. Keyser, care Jonas Forristall	10 08
Martin L. Walker, use watering tub	1 50
George Robertson, breaking roads	5 85
“ “ repairing “	4 19
L. H. Palmer, breaking roads	7 25
J. G. Titcomb, “	12 28
Richard M. Howlett, “	14 28
Robert B. Roby, “	15 20
Elliott Palmer, “	8 16
Simon Keyser, “	4 89
James M. Sargent, digging graves	3 50
Thos. W. Nelson, wood del. Jonas Forristall	4 50
Moses L. Pillsbury, services as selectman ...	104 00
“ “ stationery and postage...	2 37
Charles F. Peaslee, breaking roads	3 00
Chester J. Moody, “	11 40
Carlos Messer, “	7 38
John T. Merrill, “	32 50
“ “ printing reports	22 00
Hiram S. Palmer, breaking roads	1 30
James H. Merrill, “	1 55
John Felch, “	5 52
Johnson Colby, “	3 24

T. B. Lewis,	"	10 62
George W. Gage,	"	3 72
George W. Tilton,	"	5 02
"	" sheep killed	4 00
J. B. Sanborn, books for selectmen		3 75
M. C. Cooper, damage to stage		2 00
James S. Bohonan, on note		7 37
H. M. Howe, board John Andrew		10 50
F. M. Richards, services as auditor		2 00
Converse Gage,	" selectman	71 00
Joseph P. Nelson, use of hall		10 00
Edwin B. Lear, sheep killed		15 00
Nathaniel Clay, breaking roads		11 97
Ephraim Bean,	" "	2 04
Addison Ayers,	" "	5 00
L. H. Palmer,	" "	6 00
J. G. Titcomb,	" "	3 66
A. W. Cheney,	" "	11 06
Chester J. Moody,	" "	3 30
Jason H. Watkins,	" "	2 33
George Robertson,	" "	6 00
Lewis G. Barber,	" "	2 88
David K. Johnson,	" "	8 80
Moses P. Cheney,	" "	3 45
George Andrews,	" "	30 70
"	" use watering tub	3 00
C. A. Fowler, books furnished scholars 1878		2 55
J. P. Elkins, births & deaths		1 25
R. W. Palmer, digging grave		3 00
Elizebeth M. Fifield, board Hannah Flint		16 25
Susan F. Judkins,	" Margaret H.	
Fifield		16 25
James M. Sargent, on note		100 00
Mrs. W. H. Merrill, care Mrs. E. Bean &		
Child		25 00

J. B. McAllister & Co. goods del. Geo Palmer	21 31
“ “ Mrs. E. Bean	4 75
“ “ Jno. M. Palmer	16 20
“ “ Jonas Forristall	10 10
Sarah Hart, on note	10 00
Walter P. Sargent, note	134 34
Ervin Nelson, “	158 09
“ “ sheep killed	4 80
Martha J. Coburn, care Geo. E. Hunt	10 00
Myra C. Palmer, board Mary Colby	26 00
Benjamin Johnson, services as school com....	55 00
“ “ posting school laws	75
“ “ “ as supervisor 1880-81	10 00
O. M. Kimball, “ auditor	3 00
Robert B. Roby, board & extra care Esther	
Spaulding	22 00
Daniel Johnson, use water tub.....	1 50
George H. Littlehale, digging graves	11 00
“ “ cutting grass in bury-	
ing ground	1 50
James M. Sargent, on note	35 00
H. M. Howe, board John Andrew	15 00
John C. Bean, cutting out drift.....	2 00
Fred A. Felch, breaking roads.....	2 15
J. K. Adams, “ “	5 00
“ “ use water tub	3 00
“ “ digging grave	2 00
George W. Davis, sheep killed	4 50
Hattie A. Adams, school money dis. No. 10	28 50
Simon Keyser, wood del Lydia Burrow	1 00
“ “ breaking roads	3 40
James M. Peaslee, sheep killed	4 20
W. S. Littlehale, use water tub 79-80.....	6 00
George Fisher, breaking roads	3 24
C. C. Sawyer, school Mon. dis. No 3.....	37 98

A. R. Cheney, goods del. for Town Farm ...	37 19
Thomas W. Nelson, work on road	3 50
Levi Flint, sheep killed	7 20
John T. Merrill, school money dis. No. 2 ...	60 00
J. B. McAllister & Co. goods del Geo. Palmer	6 75
“ “ “ “ J. Forristall	7 56
“ “ “ “ Mrs J. M.	
“ “ “ “ Coburn ...	1 74
“ “ “ “ J. M. Palmer	6 42
“ “ “ “ Mrs. Ed. Bean	11 80
George A. Hemphill, sheep killed	1 20
Jon'a. F. Palmer, school money dis. No. 8	26 89
George Chadwick, “ house tax dis. No. 4	35 00
Edwin B. Lear, “ money “ 13	12 00
Henry V. Little, “ “ “ 1	43 00
J. H. Martin, med. atten. Mrs. Ella Bean...	5 75
“ “ certificates births & deaths...	75
Robert B. Roby, breaking roads	3 20
George A. Hemphill, “	7 08
John Pressey, bounty paid on hawks	2 40
Daniel Couch, bridge plank	1 15
Thomas W. Nelson, school money dis. No. 9	40 00
Edgar R. Perkins, “ “ 7	35 00
W. W. Coburn, repairing bridge	1 50
“ “ breaking road	3 72
Nancy Nelson, on note	4 50
M. L. Pillsbury, supplies for Carlos Messer	4 87
“ “ lumber for bridge	11 37
James D. Prescott, bridge plank	2 45
W. L. Morgan, school money dis. No. 4.....	56 00
Israel Andrew, sheep killed	1 20
Johnson Colby, breaking road	4 56
S. N. Welch, med. serv. Mrs. Edward Bean	11 75
“ “ “ “ Henry Mastins fam.	3 75
N. A. Todd, breaking road	2 75

F. W. Todd, school mon. dis. No. 15, 80-81	8 34
Ruth M. Stinson, goods del. poor farm	5 59
D. B. Colcord, note	157 37
J. M. Coburn, board George A. Coburn.....	14 00
Susan F. Judkins, " Margaret H. Fifield...	16 25
Elizabeth M. Fifield, board Hannah Flint ...	16 25
H. M. Howe " John Andrew ...	13 50
Olney M. Kimball, collecting taxes 1880 ...	72 72
J. B. McAllister & Co. goods del. John Palmer	12 55
" " " Jonas	
Forristall.....	7 19
Moses L. Pillsbury, breaking roads.....	2 88
" " care Jonas Forristall ..	1 50
Moses P. Cheney, damage to plow	2 50
Marcus A. Sleeper, school house tax dis. No 11	30 00
John F. Jones, County tax	1,017 00
Myra C. Palmer, board Mary Colby	35 00
Mary W. Wiley, on note	12 00
Albert Nelson, work on town farm buildings	33 75
Warren H. Merrill, mason work at town farm	8 50
Nellie M. Belcher, note.....	27 44
H. M. Howe, board John Andrew	13 50
John Brocklebank, work on town farm	
buildings	8 00
Mrs. Jonas Forristall, board Jonas Forristall	12 25
Alva D. Colcord, on note	100 00
J. S. Bohonan, free baptist minister money	13 72
John T. Merrill, school money dis. No. 2 ...	50 00
Wm. L. Morgan, " " " 4 ...	42 00
Converse Gage, note	80 65
A. R. Cheney, pipe & pump for town farm	19 07
Hiram S. Palmer, school money dis. No. 6	40 00
George Chadwick, repairing town farm	
buildings	236 25
Wm. Little, repairing town farm buildings...	236 25

Eaton Grange, sheep killed	1 80
Daniel Messer, bal. school mon. dis. No. 11	
1879—80—81	31 73
Thos. W. Nelson, school money dis. No. 9	40 00
Jas. R. Smiley, med. atten. Mrs. B. S. Fisk	4 00
Susan F. Judkins, board Margaret H. Fifield	16 25
Elizabeth M. Fifield, " Hannah Flint	16 25
H. M. Howe, " John Andrew	7 50
Tohmas Roby, breaking roads	9 50
" " lumber for bridge	2 65
Hattie A. Adams, bal. school mon dis. No. 10	45 02
Hannah Rowell, on note	20 00
Jas. D. Prescott, serv. as town farm agent...	200 00
" " money paid out	7 72
" " board furnished	38 25
" " labor	40 47
" " breaking roads	4 80
A. B. Drew, serv. at funeral of Moses Davis	2 00
Thomas Burpee, spiritualist min. money	11 58
W. H. Flint, mason work at town farm	8 50
J. B. McAllister & Co. g'ds del J. M. Palmer	18 49
Moses L. Pillsbury, stone work at town farm	9 00
J. B. Richards & Co. goods del Jno. Simons	3 32
" " " Geo. Palmer	6 00
" " " Mrs. James	
" " " Colby	2 37
" " " for town farm	
buildings	50 74
T. Putney & Son, sett copper measures	2 00
James S. Bohonan, school mon. dis. No. 12	42 25
Waldo Flint, cutting bushes	3 00
George Fellows, gravel	2 00
S. N. Welch, med. attend. Mrs. H. Mastins	19 50
George W. Gage, notes	357 02
Emma M. Harwood, "	169 47

Albert H. Moody, sheep killed	1 80
“ “ breaking & repairing road	5 49
Wheeler & Watson, painting town farm buildings	21 59
E. R. Perkins, bal, school money dis. No. 7	43 01
Wm. Howe, work on town farm buildings ...	37 61
Moses Hazen, advent min. money	9 13
Josiah P. Nelson, use water tub	2 00
Henry V. Little, bal. school mon. dis. No. 1	73 30
Solon A. Carter, State Tax	904 00
J. B. Nelson, bounty paid on hawks	2 60
John Pressey, plank	3 10
“ “ surveying town lines	1 25
“ “ bounty paid on crows	20
J. H. Keyser, powder & fuse	5 00
“ “ stone for town farm	6 80
R. R. Wheeler, hanging paper at town farm	2 75
John Brocklebank, work at “ “	3 25
Henry P. Littlehale, breaking roads	7 00
George H. Littlehale, digging graves	5 50
“ “ cutting bushes	2 00
Lydia M. Putney, 2 notes	268 20
C. W. Reddington, bal school mon. dis. No. 14	10 05
E. B. Lear, “ “ 13	22 33
Hiram S. Palmer, “ “ 6	34 52
Thos. W. Nelson, “ “ 9	39 98
Wm. L. Morgan, “ “ 4	64 90
John T. Merrill, “ “ 2	54 56
Myra C. Palmer, board Mary Colby	19 38
John G. Huntoon, breaking roads	5 30
Henry V. Little, bounty paid on hawks	40
“ “ “ crows	60
“ “ paid for ash door	50
“ “ shingle for bridge	14 00
James H. Bean, mason work	8 50

08 1	Sophronia Stockwell, board Ellen Stockwell	37 50
01 2	Hiram S. Palmer, " Mrs. Jas. S. Colby	12 86
06 18	Josiah S. Morgan, note.....	488 37
10 24	Martha A. Harwood, note.....	186 95
18 72	Elizabeth M. Fifield, board Hannah Flint...	16 25
61 0	Wm. Libbey, serv's at funeral John Andrew	1 50
00 2	Levi Flint, use watering tub.....	3 00
06 87	J. Greeley, Jr. goods del. Geo. B. Palmer...	3 00
00 108	" " " Carlos Messer.....	34 54
08 2	" " " nails.....	45
01 3	Susan F. Judkins, board Margaret F. Fifield...	16 25
29 1	Daniel Hardy, wood del. Anna Whittier.....	4 00
02	Charles Couch, drawing shingle.....	3 50
00 3	J. M. Coburn, board George A. Coburn.....	13 28
08 3	J. B. McAllister & Co. goods del. J. M.	
07 2	Palmer	3 81
02 2	" " " Mrs. J. M.	
00 7	Coburn.....	7 51
02 3	J. M. Sargent, baptist min. mon. 1879-80-81	18 35
00 3	" " digging graves.....	12 25
01 108	Geo. S. French, goods del. Carlos Messer...	2 40
00 101	Sam Morrill, damage to horse.....	25 00
62 22	John G. Huntoon, note.....	50 82
23 22	Sophronia Stockwell ex'a care Ellen Stockwell	14 00
00 02	" " coffin for " "	10 00
00 18	J. B. Richards & Co, goods del for town farm	
07 12	buildings.....	6 34
08 01	Robertson & Wells, goods del. J. M. Palmer	7 53
02 2	Seth Goodhue coffin & robe for Jno. Andrew	12 50
14	" " " for Moses Davis.....	10 00
05	" " " Esther Spaulding...	10 00
03	H. F. Russell, sheep killed.....	5 40
00 11	O. M. Kimball, part salary collecting taxes	50 00
04 8	T. Putney & Son gd's del. poor farm buildings	13 00
	" " " " Geo. Palmer's children	1 27

" " " " Carlos Messer.....	4 00
Moses Hazen, taking affidavits.....	6 50
G. W. Davis, breaking roads 1881	2 62
A. H. Smith, " " "	3 24
C. C. Whittier, " " "	2 44
A. C. Davis, work on " "	1 74
O. M. Kimball, collector tax receipts	26 10
Alva D. Colcord, on note	100 00
" " services as clerk & treasurer	58 00
J. B. Nelson, goods del. Lydia Burrow.....	8 20
" " work on road.....	1 75
" " bounty paid on crows	50
James Knowlton, digging graves	24 25
" " care of hearse	5 00
Joseph P. Nelson, use of hall & board selectmen.....	10 00
Sylvester S. Felch, breaking road 1881	6 25

\$8,422 89

RECEIPTS BY TOWN TREASURER.

From March 1, 1881 to March 1, 1882.

1881.

March 1, By Cash on hand to bal. acct. 1880	\$628 54
of Olney M. Kimball, collector 1880	611 12
" " 1880 interest	15 14
" " " dog tax	55 00
" " " 1881	5,775 00
John Pressey, selectman hired money.....	551 80
" " " notes renewed	520 00
Henry V. Little, for aid to Jonas Forristall	58 50
Moses L. Pillsbury, " " "	10 08
James D. Prescott, town farm agent	225 00
William Little, on note	100 00
Merrimack County, for aid to county paupers	651 87
State Treasurer, railroad tax	40 57
" " savings bank tax	601 32
" " literary fund	80 84
" " bounty on hawks	9 00
	\$9,933 78

Respectfully Submitted,

Alva D. Colcord Treasurer.

POOR-FARM REPORT

Selectmen's report of the poor-farm and inventory of personal property for the year ending March 1, 1882.

Amount received by Agent		\$512 21
" paid " " expences	\$256 55	
" " " " to T. Treasurer	225 00	481 55
Balance cash in hands of agent		\$30 66

EXPENCES.

Amount of inventory March 1, 1881	\$682 97	
Paid out by agent expences of the farm	256 55	
Agents pay for the year	200 00	
Int. on farm at 5 per ct. (estim'd val. \$2000)	100 00	
Cash in hands of agent March 1. 1881	33 69	
Due T. Putney & Son,	7 12	\$1,280 39

INCOME.

Amount of inventory March 1, 1882	\$715 04	
Received by agent as avails of the farm	512 21	
" for board of Jonas Forristall	58 50	
" " Moses Davis	18 00	
Bill due the farm from J. H. Keyser	11 30	
" " J. H. Watkins	5 50	
" " for labor & paper		
furnished by agent in repairing buildings	8 15	
2 1-2 Cords bark (estimated)	15 00	\$1,343 70
Bal. in favor of farm, besides supporting all town paupers upon the farm		\$63 37

INVENTORY OF STOCK, HAY, PROVISION &c.,

MARCH 1, 1882.

2 oxen \$135; 4 cows \$110; 2 two years old steers \$50; 3 yearlings \$50; 2 calves \$20; 17 hens \$8; 2 shoats \$25; straw \$5; 12 tons hay \$100; 22 bush. wheat \$33; 1 bush. oats .50; 3 bu. beans \$9; 62 bu. corn \$30; 50 lbs. maple sugar \$4; groceries \$1; 12 doz. candles \$1 44; 40 lbs. lard \$5; 25 lbs. butter \$6 25; 1-2 bu. meal .40; salt .40; boil cider .40; fresh beef 40 lbs. \$2 40; 15 lbs fresh pork \$1 20; 14 lbs. dried apple .70; 75 lbs. pickled ham \$9; 50 lbs. salt beef \$3 50; 250 lbs. salt pork \$31; 50 lbs. cheese \$7 50; 1-2 bbl. cider \$1; 20 gal. vinegar \$3; 16 gal. soap \$2 50; 2 bbls. apples \$4; 1-2 bu. beets .25; 1 bu. carrots .50; 55 bu. potatoes \$50; 1-4 bu. onions .25; 1 bu. salted cucumbers .50; 3 doz eggs .60; 2 1-3 M. S. shingles \$3 50:

Amount \$715 04

Aid furnished town paupers the past year not on the farm.

Mrs. Edward Bean & child	\$59 05
John Simons, ...	3 32
Mrs. Henry I. Mastin, ...	23 25
	\$85 62

Paid for support of county paupers for the year ending
Feb. 1, 1882.

John Andrew, (deceased)	\$74 00	Hannah Flint,	\$65 00
Joseph P. Chase, "	11 27	Carlos Messer,	41 81
M. Davis, on farm "	28 00	Margarett H. Fifield	65 00
Ellen Stockwell, "	63 00	Willard Fulson	2 00
Esther Spaulding "	32 00	George E. Hunt,	10 00
George B. Palmer,	37 06	Mrs. Lydia Burrows,	9 20
George A. Coburn,	38 54	John M. Palmer,	65 00
Mrs. Anna F. Whittier,	4 00	Mrs. Jas. S. Colby,	95 61
			\$641 49
Received from county for support of same			641 94
Due from county (bills overlooked)			5 27

Report of the money expended by selectmen in repairing the
buildings upon the town farm.

Paid	A. R. Cheney, for stove, tin ware &c	\$37 19
	Ruth Stinson, furniture &c.	5 59
	Albert Nelson, work on ell	33 75
	John Brocklebank. " "	8 00
	Warren H. Merrill, mason work on ell	8 50
	A. R. Cheney, pump, pipe &c	19 07
	Geo. Chadwick, for repairing as per job.....	236 25
	Wm. Little, " "	236 25
	Jas. D. Prescott, clapboards & boiler	7 72
	" " agt. board furnished at farm	38 25
	" " labor	40 47
	Wm. H. Flint, mason work on ell	8 50
	Moses L. Pillsbury, stone work	9 00
	J. B. Richards & Co. paint, oil &c.....	50 74
	T. Putney & Son, lime &c.	13 00
	Wheeler & Watson, painting	21 59
	J. H. Keyser, for stone	6 80
	Wm. Howe, work on ell	37 61
	John Brocklebank, pointing cellar &c.....	3 25
	Ransom R. Wheeler, papering	2 75
	James H. Bean, mason work in cellar &c. ...	8 50
	J. B. Richards & Co. paint & oil.....	6 34
	Due town farm for work and paper furnished	8 15
	Extra time of selectmen.....	28 75
		\$876 02

HENRY V. LITTLE, } Selectmen
JOHN PRESSEY, } of
J. B. NELSON, } Sutton.

March 1, 1882.

AUDITORS REPORT.

We have examined the accounts of the treasurer and selectmen for the fiscal year ending March 1, 1882, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched and would submit the following report.

Cash in treasury March 1, 1882.....	\$628 54
Rec'd. from all sources	9,305 24
Total.	\$9,933 78
Cash paid out by treasurer	\$8,422 89
Ballance in hand of treasurer	\$1,510 89

LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN.

Notes and interest against town	\$5,536 74
Due poor farm agent.....	50 00
Selectmen	192 50
Collector	8 00
School committee	40 00
School district	6 00
Library	27 25
Breaking roads (estimated)	50 00
Contingencies.....	50 00
Total.	\$5,960 49

ASSETS.

Cash in treasury	\$1,510 89
Taxes uncollected	898 84
Notes and interest due town.....	646 05
Due from Merrimack county	5 27
“ State (bounty on crows &c)	4 30
“ Collector 1875 (doubtful)	302 34
Cash in hands of poor-farm agent	30 66
Total.	\$3,398 35
Town farm.....	\$2,000 00
Farming tools &c	150 00
Stock hay &c.....	600 00
Total Assets.	\$6,148 35

ESTIMATED EXPENSES.

School committee	\$40 00
Poor farm agent	200 00
Selectmen	165 00
Clerk & Treasurer	58 00
Collector & Sextons	120 00
Minister and school fund	150 00
Interest on notes against town	277 00
Repairing highways and bridges	200 00
Support of paupers not on farm	75 00
Breaking roads	100 00
Printing reports	20 00
Contingencies	100 00
Total.	<u>\$1,505 00</u>

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS.

Interest on notes due town	\$40 00
Rail road tax	40 00
Savings bank tax	625 00
Literary fund	80 00
Total.	<u>\$785 00</u>

Estimated expences less estimated receipts	720 00
Indebtedness of town	2,562 14
Total to be provided for	3,282 14
Reduction of debt the past year	1,234 86

The above reduction is exclusive of the \$1,216 U. S. bounty dropped from the assets last year by vote of the town and does not include the town farm &c, of the value of \$2,750.

Sutton March 1, 1882.	Francis M. Richards,	} Auditors.
	Howard Johnson,	

SCHOOL REPORT.

DIS. NO. 1.

The teacher for the summer term was Miss Mira W. Morgan, and being of a temperament so well adapted to the school-room, she succeeded in winning the love of her pupils, and interesting them in their studies, and excellent improvement was the result.

The second term, in care of Mr. Walter J. Davis. This for a winter school, is composed principally of small scholars easily governed and therefore were very quiet and orderly. While those classes in the primary studies had made a most excellent improvement, those more advanced seemed not to manifest at the examination so telling a progress. The attendance of the parents and citizens of the district, at the closing exercises of both terms, was praiseworthy.

DIS. NO. 2.

The teacher for the first or summer term was Miss Emma L. Collins, and for the second term Miss Mira W. Morgan. Both have had considerable experience in teaching and being alive to their work and apt in their business, succeeded in having two profitable terms of school. The improvement in penmanship in the second term was excellent.

The winter term was in care of Mr. James H. Johnson a person well qualified by education and agreeable manners to instruct in our district schools. Although this was his first effort made in teaching, he seemed to possess very clear ideas of the nature of a teacher's duties, and performed them in a very acceptable manner.

The closing exercises of this term, as of the others, were well attended by parents and citizens, and proved interesting.

DIS. NO. 3.

The first term was in care of Miss Margaret A. Clough of Warner, who brought to this school, the experience of several previous terms in this district, and under these conditions the school could not well fail of success. The progress was good.

During the second term Miss Jennette Nelson had charge of school. Although this was her first attempt in teaching, she proved competent for the task and succeeded in making it a pleasant and profitable term of school. The district might well manifest their interest in this school by providing a better school-house.

DIS. NO. 4.

The first and second terms of school in this district were in charge of Miss Mary J. Eaton and the third term in care of Miss Abbie A. Peaslee; both experienced, faithful and energetic in the method of instruction, and the district fortunate in obtaining such laborers, it being one of the largest and most difficult schools in town.

As shown by the examinations a thorough progress had been made, while most of the pupils seemed to manifest an equal interest with the teacher. There has been the greatest improvement in penmanship in this school during the past year, of any one in town.

I much admire the anxiety manifested in this district for good schools, by the general attendance at examinations.

DIS. NO. 6.

This school for the past year deserves to be reckoned as one of the attractive and successful, the scholars being obedient and industrious. The school having been in the care of Miss Carrie H. Cooper, an experienced teacher; and by the united effort of teacher and scholars the school was pleasant and prosperous.

There might yet be an increased interest in this school by the district thoroughly repairing their school building.

DIS. NO. 7.

The summer term was taught by Miss Maria S. Coburn. This, her first effort in teaching, was very successful. The school was quite small and the teacher competent, and anxious for the progress of her pupils.

Miss B. Josie Baker had charge of the school during the winter term. An experienced teacher who labored successfully for the interest of the school. In reading and penmanship the greatest improvement.

DIS. NO. 8.

This district had but one term of seven weeks, and that was taught by Miss Ada M. Huntoon. This was the teacher's first effort in teaching, and the task was not what it would have been in a larger and more advanced school. Discipline fair and the progress good by those who attended school to learn.

DIS. NO. 9.

The two terms summer and fall were in the care of Miss Sarah B. Nelson a teacher of experience and energy, and who gave the school ample equivalent for the wages received, fully sustaining her former reputation as a teacher in our schools. Accuracy and thoroughness being the principal motive.

Miss Mattie F. Robertson, as teacher for the winter term, exercised kindness and diligence, and by energy, combined with a deep interest in the scholars, succeeded in making a very satisfactory improvement in the studies pursued; while a better toning of the deportment might have increased the prosperity of the school.

DIS. NO. 10.

Summer and fall term were taught by Miss Abbie A. Peaslee a teacher of much experience. The teacher and scholars seemed very much interested, and no pains on the part of the teacher having

been spared to make the school profitable. The school seemed to be well governed and instructed and the examination was commendable to both teacher and scholars. I wish the district might manifest their interest in this school by thoroughly repairing the school-house or by building a new one.

DIS. NO. 11.

The one term, in this district the past year and I think the only one for more than two years, was taught by Miss Rozina E. Ogilvie with good success. This is a small school and the citizens of this district would realize more benefit for their money, by being annexed to some adjoining district for school purposes.

DIS. NO. 12.

One term of twelve weeks completed the school year, and was taught by Miss Georgie A. Nelson. This school is quite small in point of numbers, and no advanced scholars. But this fact did not detract from its progress, the examination was satisfactory.

DIS. NO. 13.

During the summer term Miss Mattie F. Robertson had charge of the school, and Miss Myra W. Morgan, the winter term.

Miss Morgan seemed to understand the wants of her school. The work done here has been careful and thorough, and much deserved attention has been given to writing with a marked and general improvement as shown by their books.

Deportment and progress good in both terms.

DIS. NO. 14.

Miss Nellie F. Dowlin was teacher during the first term and Miss I. F. G. Harriman the second. This is a union district with Warner. This school is composed mostly of small scholars nearly all from Warner; and the school appeared well when visited and a fair progress was made in the studies pursued.

GENERAL REMARKS.

There has been eighteen different teachers employed in town the past year and twenty-six terms of school, and with the greater part there has been a general satisfaction. There may have been some manifest lack of adaptation for the work of teaching and governing, which are so inseparably connected that neither alone can produce success. Scholarship is but one element of qualification and this can be determined at the outset, while other essentials to fitness must be developed in practical work. We are not liable to fully estimate the importance of our common schools, upon which the prosperity, happiness and general intelligence of the people depend, and in which is the only sure foundation for a permanent government of liberty. They are to cultivate the habits of correct thinking and reasoning, to so develop the human mind that it may be able to grasp the many and various difficult subjects that we may meet with, and comprehend them to completeness.

BENJAMIN JOHNSON,

School Committee.

Sutton, March 1, 1882.

ROLL OF HONOR.

DIS. NO. 1.

1st. term.

Winnie A. Barker,
Maud C. Gillingham,
Annie E. Gillingham,
Bertie M. Blaisdell,
Henry D. Little,
Jason K. Wright,
Willie H. Peaslee,
Marvin S. Barker,
Hurbert A. Cummings.

2nd. term.

Hurbert A. Cummings.
Marvin S. Barker,
Henry D. Little,
Maurice Sawyer,
Fred A. Wright,
Jason K. Wright,
Francis Johnson,
Winnie A. Barker,
Stella Wright,
Ida May Sawyer,

DIS. NO. 2.

Myra Andrews,
Ellen M. Merrill,
Effie J. Merrill,
Minnie L. Hazen,
Gertie E. Davis,
Charles R. Follansbee,
Frank B. Flint,
Winnie D. Davis,
Herbert W. Hazen,
Elmer E. Philbrick,

Ellen M. Merrill,
Effie J. Merrill,
Lydia M. Merrill,
Minnie L. Hazen,
Frank W. Pressey,
Fred A. Pressey,
Carl H. Merrill,
Winnie D. Davis,
Herbert W. Hazen,
Frank B. Flint,
Elmer E. Philbrick,

3rd. term.

Laura B. Andrew,
Carl H. Merrill,

Frank W. Pressey, Fred A. Pressey,
George S. Philbrick, Frank B. Flint,

DIS. NO. 3.

Annie H. Jordan,
Rufus S. Maxon,

Annie H. Jordan,
Rufus S. Maxon,
Eddie H. Holton,

WOLF OF HONOLULU

DIS. NO. 4.

Mary J. Bohonan,
 Nellie M. Belcher,
 Delma A. Cheney,
 Annie M. Cheney,
 Cora E. Couch,
 Josie M. Chadwick,
 May F. Knowlton,
 Mabelle A. Marshall,
 Eva J. Powers,
 Addie V. Powers,
 Alonzo Couch,
 Westley J. Knowlton,
 Charles K. Knowlton,
 Frank H. Mastins,
 James M. Nelson,
 Elmer D. Robinson,

Nellie M. Belcher,
 Delma A. Cheney,
 Annie M. Cheney,
 Josie M. Chadwick,
 Eva K. Little,
 Mabelle A. Marshall,
 Eva J. Powers,
 Addie V. Powers,
 Ernest V. Ayer,
 Charles K. Knowlton,

3rd. term.

Nellie M. Belcher,	Josie M. Chadwick,	Delma A. Cheney,
May F. Knowlton,	Rozina E. Ogilvie,	Alice M. Richards,
Loren C. Ayer,	Westley J. Knowlton,	James M. Nelson,
Dura M. Richards,	Clinton C. Rowell,	Edson C. Watkins,

DIS. NO. 6.

Gertie C. Felch.

DIS. NO. 7.

Lillie May Chadwick,

Herburt L. Pillsbury,
 Burtie Little,

DIS. NO. 8.

Nellie L. Barber,
 Frank R. Roby,
 Lenora C. Lewis,
 Bertie H. Lewis,

DIS. NO. 9.

Jennie N. Nelson,
 Blanch Nelson,

Nettie H. Varney,
 Lulah I. Johnson,

Eva B. Roby,
 Hattie E. Roby,
 Maude Littlehale,
 Jennie E. Palmer,
 Willie H. Cressey,
 Henry C. McAllister,
 Sullivan Palmer,
 Charlie Palmer,

Aaude Littlehale,
 Jennie E. Palmer,
 Sullivan Palmer,
 Charlie Palmer,
 Willie H. Cressey,
 Burton F. Varney,

3rd. term.

Maude Littlehale, Willie H. Cressey, John S. Russell,
 DIS. NO. 10.

Mabel L. Colby,
 Sadie L. Colby,
 Mattie I. Phelps,
 Mary E. Sawyer,
 Clarence W. Adams,
 Clinton G. Colby,
 Charles E. Phelps,
 Fred A. Sawyer,

Mabel L. Colby,
 Nellie L. Barber,
 Clinton G. Colby,
 Charles E. Phelps,

DIS. NO. 11.

Sylvester C. Messer,
 Walles E. Messer.

DIS. NO. 12.

Arthur W. Lewis,
 George S. Bohonan.
 Alfred W. Watkins,

DIS. NO. 13.

Eugene L. Nelson,
 Carl H. Nelson,
 Willie F. Brown,
 Walter S. Brown,

Bertie A. Messer,
 Auren W. Messer,
 George E. Nelson,
 Eugene L. Nelson,
 Carl H. Nelson,
 George W. Russell,
 Frankie E. Currier,
 Clara J. Twiss,

TABULAR STATEMENT.

No. of District.	TERMS.	Length of school in weeks.	Wages of teacher per. month including board.	Whole No. of scholars.	Average attendance.	No. studying Arith.	" Gram.	" Geog.	" Alge.	" B'k k'p'g.	" History.	" Philos'y.	" Penm'n's p.	" Comp's'n.	" of Declamations.	" Visits, Committee.	" Citizens.
1	First.	8.2	\$18	13	12.4	12	1	2			1		9	1	61	222	
	Second.	10.5	28	17	16.05	16	4	5			1		7		66	223	
2	First.	9	22	19	18.5	13		6					12		68	225	
	Second.	7	24	20	19.3	14	2	9	1		2		13	3	79	240	
	Third.	10	26	17	15.7	16	3	9	3		3		9		57	227	
3	First.	6	12	4	4	4	1	2					4	1		2	6
	Second.	7	11.2	4	4	4	1	3			1		4		24	2	5
4	First.	8	24	28	27	18	3	8					18	3	108	244	
	Second.	7	24	31	30	21	9	8	1		6		21	9	122	245	
	Third.	8	27	32	29	27	9	14	3	2	8		24	9	120	232	
6	First.	6	18	7	5	6	2	1					3		14	1	3
	Second.	8	20	11	9	9	3	2	1	3			5	2	24	212	
7	First.	8	13	6	5	3	1	1					3			215	
	Second.	8	20	6	5	6	1	1					6	2	20	2	5
*8		8		7	5	4	2	2							18	212	
9	First.	8	18	17	15	14	2	5	1				14	2	63	227	
	Second.	8	19	21	17	18	3	7					16		80	1	
	Third.	9	18	19	15	16	7	3					8		48	217	
10	First.	5.8	17	17	14	12	2	4	2				6	5	50	2	7
	Second.	10.6	17	20	17	14	2	6	2				9	0	80	211	
11		6	18	2	2												219
12		12	14	8	8	7	2	3					7		32	2	7
13	First.	8	16	10	8.25	8	1	3					5		27	211	
	Second.	9.4	22	13	12.8	11	4	3	2	1			13	4	66	225	
14	First.	8	20	2	1.9								1			210	
	Second.	8	17.8													116	

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